Atty. Dkt. No. 045237-0121

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Teruaki SHINOHARA

Title: MIRROR APPARATUS FOR
             VEHICLE

Appl. No.:   10/606,123

Appl. Filing Date: 6/26/2003

Examiner: Mr. A. Robinson

Art Unit: 2872

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission **required** under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

   a. Previously submitted:

   [X]   Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on
           _8/30/05_ .

   [ ]   Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on __ but not

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[ ]   Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on

___.

[ ]   Other ___.

b. Enclosed are:

[ ]   Amendment/Reply.

[ ]   Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).

[ ]   Information Disclosure Statement.

[ ]   Form PTO-1449 with copies of ___ listed reference(s).

[ ]   Other .

Miscellaneous:

[ ]   Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37

C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ___ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate		Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):				$790.00	=	$790.00
Total Claims:	17 -	20	= 0	x $50.00	=	$0.00
Independents	3 -	4	= 0	x $200.00	=	$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:			+	$360.00	=	$0.00
			CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:		=	$790.00

[X]   Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the

total number of months checked below:

[X]	Extension for response filed within the first month:	$120.00 1	$120.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the second month:	$450.00	$0.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the third month:	$1,020.00	$0.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	$1,590.00	$0.00
[ ]	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	$2,160.00	$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:		$120.00
	EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -		$0.00
	EXTENSION FEE TOTAL		$120.00
	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		$910.00
[ ]	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		$0.00
[ ]	Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)		$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:		$910.00

[ ]   Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of $910.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

[X]   A check in the amount of $910.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

[X]   The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date _September 30, 2005_   By _Thomas J. Barker_ Reg. No. 43,438

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